

NE Mistissibi Whitewater Canoeing Trip

Quebec, Canada

July and August



Located due north of Quebec City and about a day's drive from Maine, the NE Mistissibi River is one of Eastern Canada's best whitewater canoe trips. It features over 80 sets of class II-III rapids, many over 1 kilometer in length. When paddling in low to medium water, there is only one short portage and several linings, making this an excellent river to paddle that is not too physically demanding. In higher water, more precise maneuvering is required. Scouting more difficult rapids prior to paddling provides helpful insight on how & where to run. Dave, your head guide has personally guided over 10 trips on this river.

Skill Level: Must have solid paddling skills in class II-III whitewater and be steady on your feet. While there are no lengthy portages, there are numerous rapids we scout prior to running and a few linings that involved traversing over large boulders on the shore and wading knee to waist deep at times. Ages: Adults and minors ages 13 and up when accompanied by an adult.

Duration 11 Days

- **Day 1:** Meet up with Canoe the Wild in Jackman and continue our road trip, a 10-hour drive to Lake St. Jean where we tent out at a campground.
- **Day 2:** We drive 3-4 hours on dirt roads to our launch location.
- **Days 3-10:** nine days and eight nights spent on the river. Day 10 takeout and travel part way home and overnight in a motel.
- **Day 11:** finish our journey arriving back in Jackman late morning.

We Provide: All necessary camping equipment including river bags to keep your clothing dry, compact sleeping pads, durable Old Town canoes, helmets, type III life jackets, paddles, tents, group tarp, cooking & eating utensils, well stocked First Aid kit and for a little added peace of mind, a Delorme InReach two-way satellite communicator. Let us know if you prefer to bring your own canoe.

You Provide: Personal clothing and sleeping bag. We'll send you a complete packing list upon request or when signing up for a trip.

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